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TRAFFIC FATALITY #26

Case: 08-1471945

Date: Monday, May 26, 2008

Time: 9:26 p.m.

Location: 6200 block of E. Riverside Drive

Deceased: Colbert Chartress Sanders, Black male, (D. O. B. 06/08/1956)

Narrative:

On Monday, May 27, 2008 at 9:26 p.m., South Central Area Command responded to an Auto/Pedestrian crash at the 6200 block of E. Riverside Drive.

The male victim, Colbert Sanders, was crossing midblock from the north curb to the south curb of Riverside Dr. An older model white sport utility vehicle traveling westbound on Riverside Dr. struck the victim. An early 90's model, dark colored, 4-door sedan then struck the victim. The drivers of both vehicles made no attempt to remain at the scene. Both suspect vehicles were last seen westbound on Riverside Dr.

Mr. Sanders was pronounced deceased at the scene.

Anyone with any information about this crash is asked to contact the APD Vehicular Homicide Unit Detectives at 974-6981.

This case remains under investigation by APD Vehicular Homicide Detectives. This is the 26th fatality of 2008.



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